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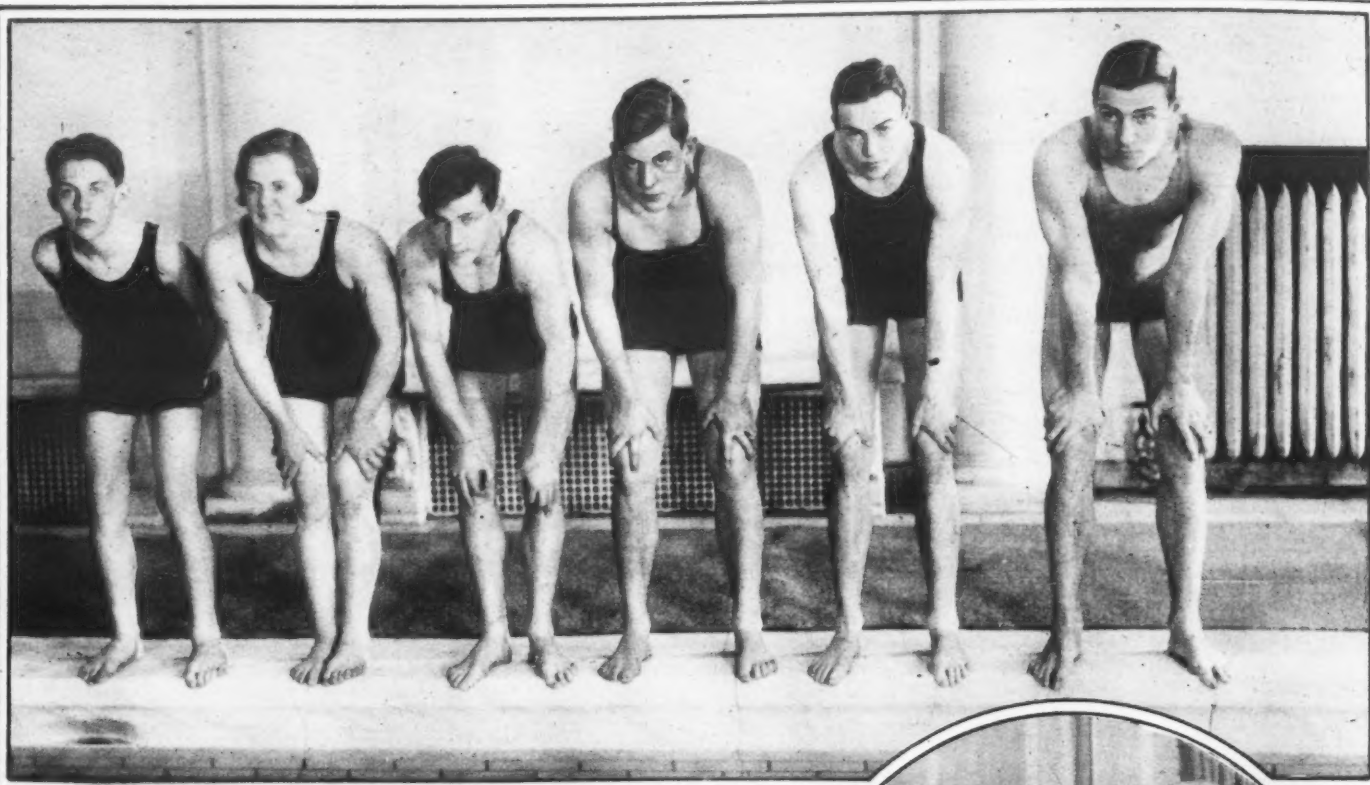




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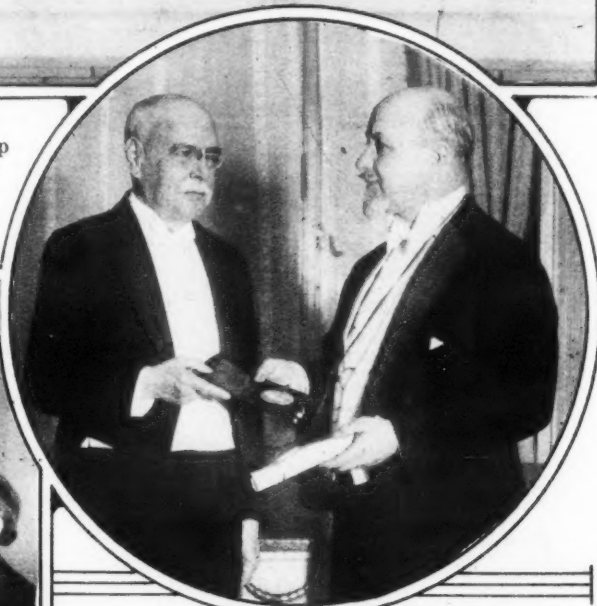
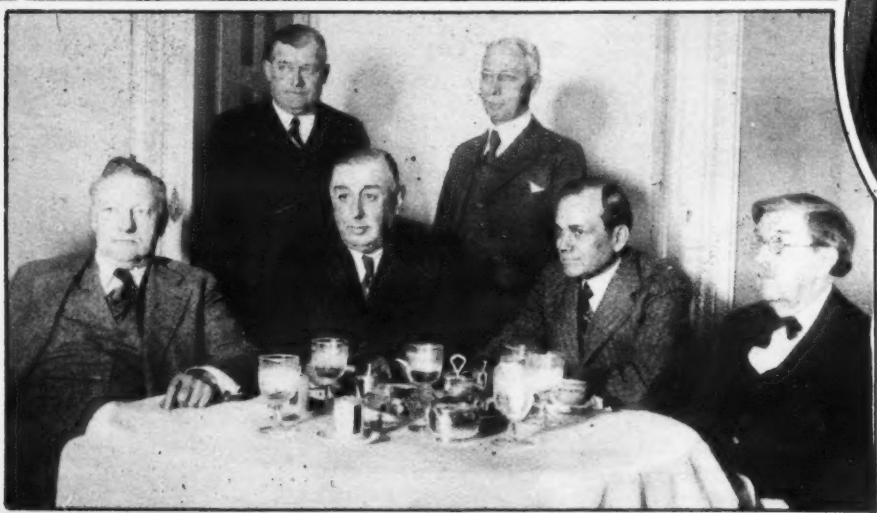
Who Will Play With the Washington Senators This Year, Sends the Ball Zooming Out Over the Waves of the Pacific Ocean Off Balboa, Cal., Where He Has Spent the Winter.

(Times Wide World Photos.)



**SWIMMING STARS ALL IN A ROW: GERTRUDE EDERLE,** Who Conquered the English Channel, Is Second From Left in This Group Beside the New Pool at the Hotel McAlpin, New York. The Others (Left to Right) Are: Cyrus Curtis Cummings (12-Year-Old Champion), Ray Ruddy, Robert Bastian, John Kilpatrick and Bill Armstrong.

(Times Wide World Photos.)



**A MEDAL FOR THE MARCH KING: JOHN PHILIP SOUSA**

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(Times Wide World Photos.)

**CONFERRING ON FLOOD CONTROL: MAYOR "BIG BILL" THOMPSON OF CHICAGO** Lunches With Members of the Congressional Flood Control Committee in Washington. Seated, Left to Right: Senator James E. Watson, Mayor Thompson, Congressman Frank R. Reid, Chairman of the Committee, and Former Senator William Lorimer. Standing: Congressman S. Wallace Dempsey and Carter Blatchford of Chicago.

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The English Singers as they have appeared on the concert stage; singing the wonderful old Madrigals.

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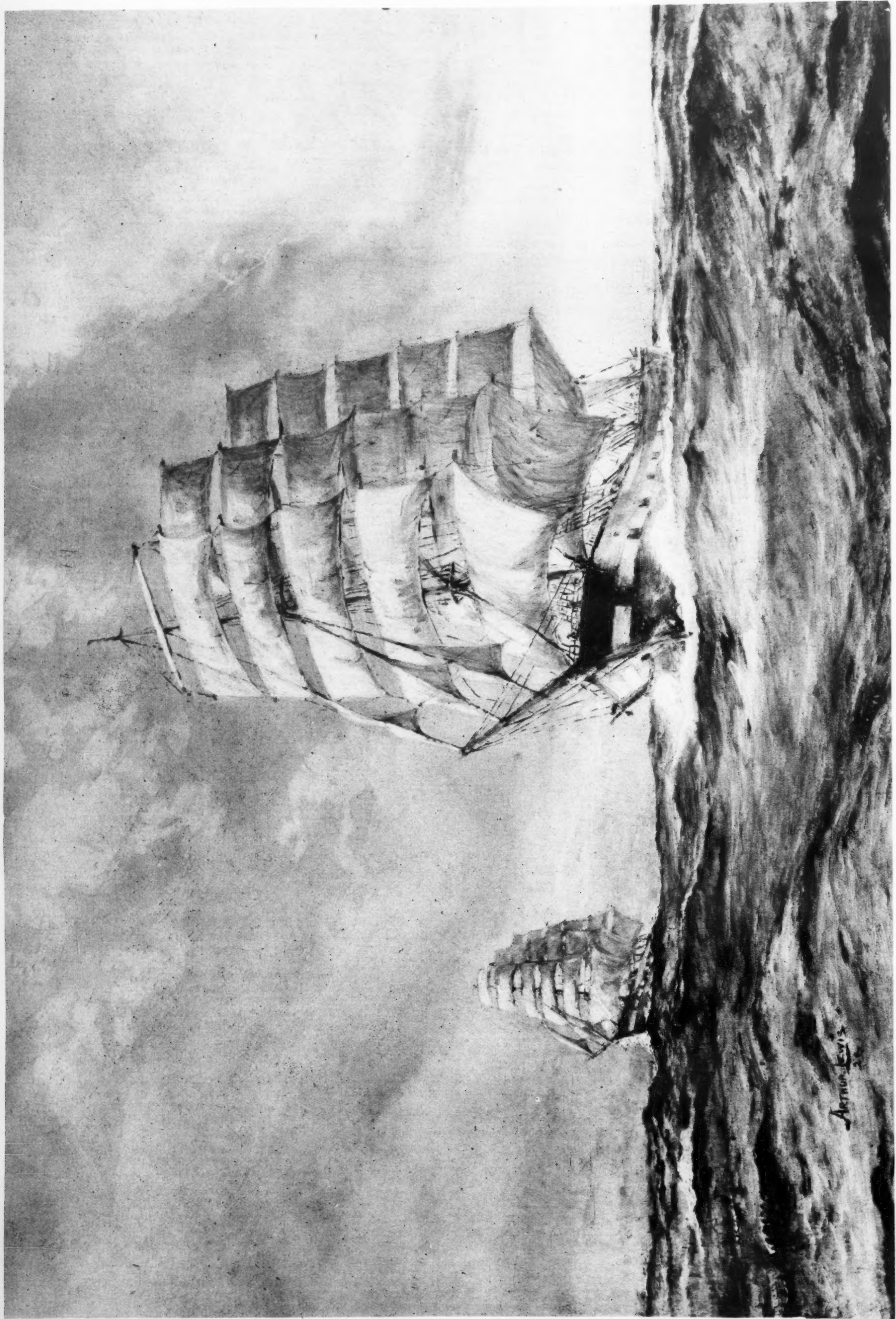
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WITH ALL SAILS DRAWING BELOW AND ALOFT: THRILLING RACE BETWEEN TWO GREYHOUNDS OF THE SEA, the Four-Masted Barks Beatrice and Hergozin Cecillie, as Conceived by the Artist, Arthur Lewis. They Are Racing to Get the First Cargo of This Season's Australian Wheat to England. The Vessels Left Port Lincoln, Australia, in the Latter Part of January for Falmouth, England, via Cape Horn. They Are Two of the Speediest Sailing Ships Afloat and Full Sail Until Both Vessels Were Even.



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THEY GO, BUT TO RETURN: BABE RUTH AND LOU GEHRIG, LAST YEAR'S HOME RUN CHAMPIONS, on the Rearmost Platform of the Train Which Bore Them South to St. Petersburg, Fla., There to Join the New York Yankees in Preparation for the Baseball Season of 1928.  
(Times Wide World Photos.)



# Flying Cross Awarded to Five Army Aviators



**RECEIVES THE DISTINGUISHED FLYING CROSS: RUSSELL L. MAUGHAN,**

First Lieutenant Air Corps, Who in June, 1924, Flew From Mitchel Field, Long Island, N. Y., to Crissy Field, San Francisco, Cal., in 21 Hours 48½ Minutes. This Was the Famous "Dawn to Dusk" Flight.

(Official Photo U. S. Army Air Corps.)



**CAPTAIN JOHN A. MACREADY,** Who With Lieutenant Oakley G. Kelly

Flew From Long Island to California in May, 1923, the First Successful Non-Stop Transcontinental Flight.

(Official Photo U. S. Army Air Corps.)



**FIRST LIEUTENANT OAKLEY G. KELLY,** Who Shares With Captain Macready the Honors of the First Non-Stop Flight Across the Continent, and to Whom Has Been Awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross.

(Official Photo U. S. Army Air Corps.)



**A POSTHUMOUS AWARD: THE LATE CAPTAIN HAWTHORNE C. GRAY,**

to Whose Widow the Distinguished Flying Cross Has Been Given on His Behalf by the War Department. Captain Gray, Who Attained the Greatest Altitude Ever Reached by Any Human Being, Perished When His Supply of Oxygen Gave Out. His Last and Fatal Ascent Was Made in a Balloon on Nov. 4, 1927.

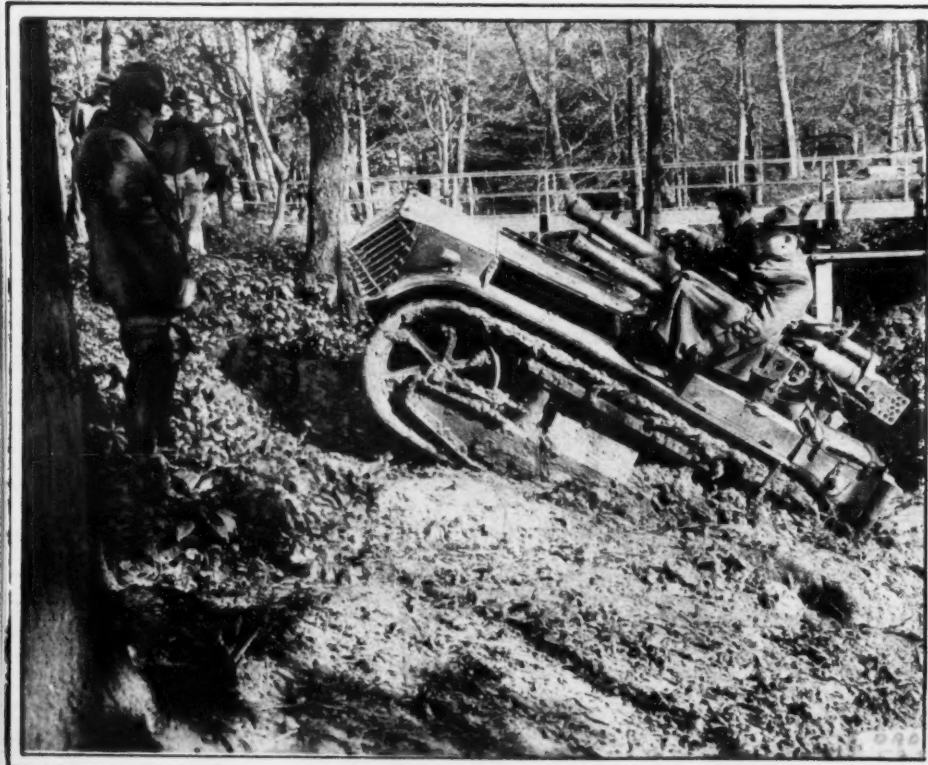
(Official Photo U. S. Army Air Corps.)



**FOR FLYING THE PACIFIC: ARTHUR C. GOEBEL,**

First Lieutenant Air Corps Reserve, Receives One of Five Awards of the Distinguished Flying Cross by the U. S. War Department. Goebel's Flight Was Made From California to Honolulu in August, 1927.

(Official Photo U. S. Army Air Corps.)



**THE UPS AND DOWNS OF A SOLDIER'S LIFE**

as They Are Experienced by the Warriors of Our Mechanized Army.

(Times Wide World Photos.)



**TOKENS OF AMERICAN MARKSMANSHIP: TARGETS OFF THE COAST OF HAWAII**

After Being Fired At by Machine Gunners of the United States Army During Recent Beach Defense Practice. The White Spots on the Targets Indicate Hits. Three Thousand Rounds Were Fired at Ranges From 400 to 1,000 Yards.

(Times Wide World Photos.)



# THE INTERESTING OWNERS OF VARIOUS RADIO VOICES



A VER-SATILE ARTISTE:

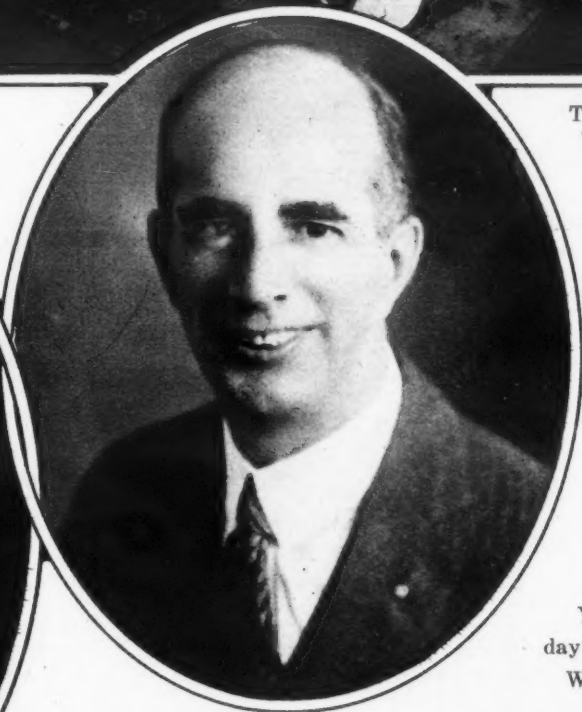
MADGE EVANS, Who Is Playing in "Our Betters," at the Henry Miller Theatre, New York, Will Also Sing Over Station WNYC on Saturday, March 10, at 6:45 P. M. (White.)



THE ANGLO-PERSIANS, Who Broadcast on Friday Evenings Over the National Broadcasting Company's Red Network. (Foto Topics.)



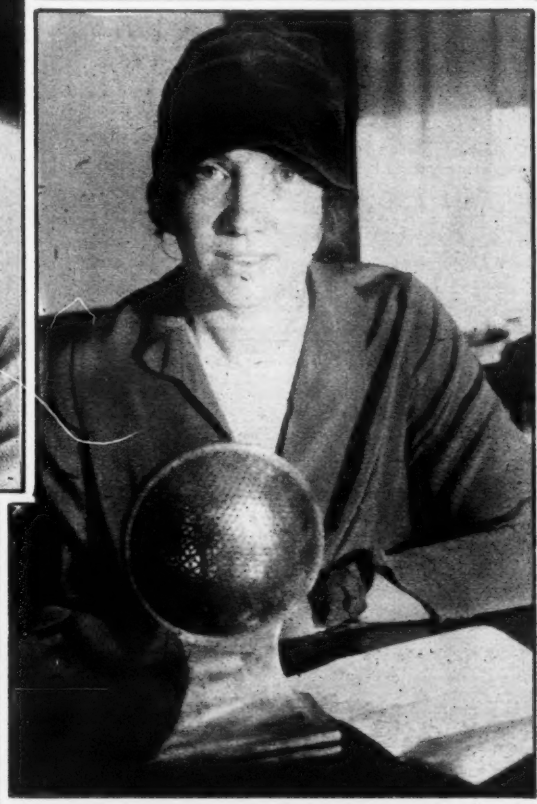
IRMA DE BAUN, SOPRANO, Heard in Programs on the National Broadcasting Company's Blue Network. (Strauss-Peyton.)



ARTHUR E. BAGLEY, Who Broadcasts the "Tower Health Exercises" Direct From the Metropolitan Tower, New York, Daily Except Sunday Through Stations WEA, WEEL, WGR and WCAP.



THE REV. DANIEL E. POLING, D. D., Whose Message Is Heard by a Vast Number of Listeners Every Sunday Afternoon Through Station WEA.



ADVISING THE NATION ON COOK-ERY: MRS. JAMES J. DAVIS, Wife of the Secretary of Labor, Becomes a "Radio Chef." (Times Wide World Photos.)



HARRY RESER AND HIS CLICQUOT CLUB ESKIMOS, Who Are Heard Every Thursday Evening Over the National Broad-

ing Company's Red Network in Their Own Imitable Style. (Foto Topics.)





RAMON NOVARRO,  
in "China Bound"  
(Metro-Goldwyn-  
Mayer).

A  
News-  
Reel  
From  
the  
Motion  
Picture  
Studios



SHIRLEY MASON AND  
JOHNNY WALKER,  
in a Scene From  
Columbia's "So This  
Is Love."

GRETA GARBO,  
a Metro-Goldwyn-  
Mayer Star.



STARS OF THE SILVER  
SCREEN



SUE CAROL.

SUE CAROL, one of the prettiest of the screen players who came to the front in 1927, cannot vote yet, but after Oct. 30, 1928, she will be legally entitled to express at the ballot-box her preferences in matters of national politics.

Born in Chicago in 1907, Miss Carol was educated at Kemper Hall, a school conducted by the Sisters of St. Mary (Episcopalian) at Kenosha, Wis., and subsequently she was a student at National Park Seminary, Washington. Her father died in Europe two years ago. Some time afterward she went to California with her mother and, more for the fun of it than with any serious purpose of entering the movies, took a screen test. After that her fate was inevitable, as you will readily agree if you happen to have seen Miss Carol on the screen.

Her first part was a very small one in "Is Zat So?" followed by a more important one in "Slaves of Beauty," and yet another in "Pigskin."

Then came a leading rôle with Douglas MacLean in "Soft Cushions," which first brought this charming young actress into the prominence that she deserved.

She has since been seen in Universal's "The Cohens and Kellys in Paris," and will have the feminine lead opposite William Boyd in Pathé-De Mille's "Skyscraper."

Miss Carol is a decided brunette, with dark brown hair and eyes.

of Ann Page went to California with her mother, it seems, on a vacation trip. It chanced that they visited the M.-G.-M. lot at Culver City, where Miss Page was introduced to Malcolm St. Clair, the director, and it occurred to Mr. St. Clair that the young visitor had extraordinary picture possibilities. A screen test followed with satisfactory results, and Miss Page is now playing the feminine lead opposite William Haines in "He Learned About Women." She is said to be a discovery of the first water.

NEIL HAMIL-  
TON  
AND  
BELLE  
BEN-  
NETT,  
in the  
New Fox  
Picture,  
"Mother  
Machree."



Such things happen very, very seldom, but they do happen. Last year Patricia Avery passed at one graceful bound from the status of a stenographer to that of a featured player. But for every such case of exceptional good fortune there are easily a hundred cases of girls just as pretty, just as well qualified as the lucky ones, who try and try and try but never happen to be in just the place where the lightning strikes. Life, it has been remarked a number of times in the past and undoubtedly will be remarked again, is a gamble. This seems to be particularly true of the motion-picture game—from the viewpoint of the aspirant, at any rate. And it is a gamble against all the odds.

"Why Announce Your Marriage?" is the query propounded by the title of a forthcoming Universal comedy picture, which will be directed by Ernest Laemmle.

The cast of "Easy Come, Easy Go," starring Richard Dix (Paramount), will include Nancy Carroll, Charles Sellon, Frank Currier, Arnold Kent, Christian J. Frank and Joseph J. Franz.

Rosemary Cooper, a former film favorite, has returned to the screen and will have a part in "The Little Yellow House," an F B O production featuring Martha Sleeper and Orville Caldwell.

A VERY  
MUCH  
ALARMED  
MADGE  
BEL-  
LAMY,  
in "Soft  
Living," a  
Fox Film.



"NO apple is bitten nor is a snake seen" in "The Garden of Eden," United Artists' forthcoming picture starring Corinne Griffith, according to the producers. Furthermore, says this announcement from those who ought to know, "the garden is not biblical and the Eden is not paradise, but a hotel in Monte Carlo."

The picture is an adaptation of a stage play which was seen in New York some time ago, the stage play itself having been adapted by Avery Hopwood from a German original.

The leading masculine rôle is played by Charles Ray, with Lowell Sherman, Louise Dresser, Maude George and Edward Martindel in the supporting cast.

Jobyna Ralston, hitherto identified with comedy, is branching out into other fields. She is featured by Tiffany-Stahl in a picture called "Power," which gives her a rôle that is said to reveal Miss Ralston as an emotional actress of considerable ability.

Hobart Bosworth will be starred in a Columbia film entitled "After the Storm," which, like "The Blood Ship," is a story of the sea.

Another tale of really sensational good luck comes from the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studios. A young New York girl bearing the delightfully Shakespearean name

Questions of General Interest Regarding Photoplays and Players, Past and Present, Will Be Answered Gladly, Either in These Pages or by Mail, if Addressed to the Motion Picture Editor, Mid-Week Pictorial, 229 West Forty-third Street, New York, N. Y.



# "THE NOOSE" IS ANOTHER EXCELLENT BARTHELMESS FILM



**QUEENS OF THE CABARET: DOT (LINA BASQUETTE)**  
Is the Central Figure in This Bevy of Dancing Beauties.



**WHEN BOOTLEGGERS DISAGREE: BUCK GORDON**  
(Montagu Love, Seated, With a Cigar in His Mouth) Beards a Rival, Who Has Taken to High-Jacking, in His Den.

By Mitchell Rawson

**M**R. RICHARD BARTHELMESS is a very fortunate young man. The gods were good to him and quite generous when they endowed him with his gifts as an actor, but to be a good actor is only half the battle. The finest talents are wasted without good rôles, whether on stage or screen. As that hardened trouper, William Shakespeare, wrote long ago out of the fullness of his experience, the play's the thing. For some time past Mr. Barthelmess's vehicles have been exceptionally well selected and produced.

His latest, "The Noose," which is scheduled for the Strand Theatre, New York, is a worthy member of the series. It will almost certainly not rival the outstanding success of its immediate predecessor, "The Patent Leather Kid," which combined the glories of love, war and the prize ring, but it is an excellent piece of work, capably acted and carefully directed, and the star is supported by a first-rate cast.

The plot of "The Noose," adapted from a stage play, is an interesting but not a cheerful one. Over it broods the shadow of the gallows. Mr. Barthelmess's rôle is that of a young gangster named Nickie Elkins, who is associated with a sort of underworld clan chieftain named Buck Gordon. The latter part has been assigned to Montagu Love, who makes a very vivid figure indeed of the brutal boss criminal. Gordon makes his headquarters at a cab-



**THE MOTHER: ALICE JOYCE**  
as the Governor's Wife in "The Noose."



**A MONARCH OF THE UNDER-WORLD: MONTAGU LOVE,**  
as Buck Gordon, Chief Villain in "The Noose."

aret; he conducts bootlegging operations on a large scale, and has a varied collection of henchmen (among them young Elkins) who carry out his orders.

Trouble comes when Nickie begins to sicken of the life he is leading. One of his perplexities is that he knows nothing of his parentage. He believes that Gordon is in possession of this secret, and the belief proves later on to be justified when Gordon informs him that he himself is Nickie's father. This revelation is made just after Gordon has slain a rival bootlegger, and he boasts that he has no fear of being executed for the murder, inasmuch as Nickie's mother is now the wife of the Governor of the State. As cold-bloodedly

as he seduced and betrayed her years before, he now purposes to use the tragic error of her youth as a weapon with which to wrest immunity from the Governor.

But he has reckoned without Nickie, who shoots him and when arrested refuses to say anything except "He was no good." He maintains this attitude rigidly throughout the trial, is sentenced to hang and is lodged in the death house. The Governor's wife (played by Alice Joyce) becomes interested in the case. Of course she has no idea who Nickie is, for she had been told by Gordon long ago that the son she bore him died in infancy. Nevertheless the case of the condemned boy exercises a strange fascination over her. She pleads

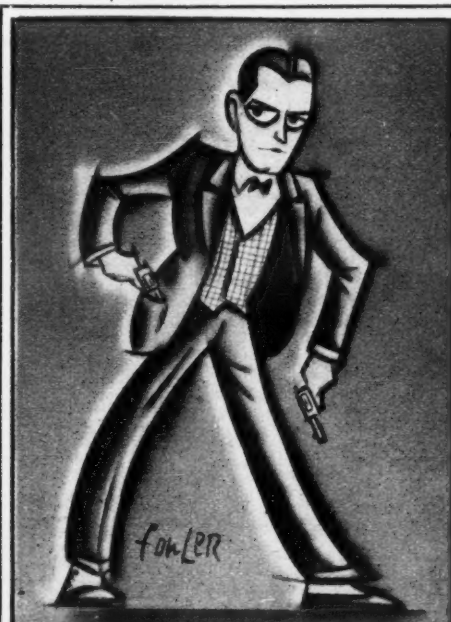
with her husband to interview Nickie and try to wring from him some explanation of the killing. Nickie maintains his silence. Even when he is confronted with the woman whom he knows to be his mother, he keeps his lips sealed tightly for her sake. Only at the very last is he snatched from the noose through the efforts of a young cabaret dancer who has loved him all along, even when he had no eyes for her. This girl, whose name is Dot, is portrayed effectively by Lina Basquette.

Indeed the same praise may be given to all the members of the company, even unto the humblest "extra" who moves in the background of some of the crowded scenes. They have all been well chosen; they look and act their parts. (This, of course, is not the slightest reflection upon the ladies and gentlemen who play the less amiable rôles. It is well known that theatrical villains are often the very nicest kind of people when the curtain falls or the camera ceases to record.) As for Mr. Barthelmess, he makes Nickie Elkins a very appealing young victim of circumstances. But Nickie has a close call; he is standing on the brink of eternity when his reprieve arrives.

The picture is well above the ordinary run of photoplays and great credit is due not only to the cast but to First National for assembling the cast and giving the story the admirable setting that has been provided.



**THE LOVERS: NICKIE ELKINS AND DOT**  
(Richard Barthelmess and Lina Basquette).



**A BAD BOY WHO GOES STRAIGHT: RICHARD BARTHELMESS,**  
in "The Noose," as Seen by Fowler, the Caricaturist.



**IN PERIL OF THE NOOSE: NICKIE ELKINS IS SENTENCED TO DEATH**  
for the Killing of Buck Gordon, Which He Refuses to Explain Except by Saying "He Was No Good."



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# NEW PRIZE PORTRAIT CONTEST: MOTHER AND CHILD

**First Prize—Ten Dollars**  
 Won by J. H. Field, Fayetteville, Ark.

**Second Prize—Five Dollars**  
 Won by A. Nicks, Tyler, Texas.



MRS. CLARENCE BURG AND BABY.



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## To Portrait Photographers!

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office or in the mails, would mean financial loss. Each photograph must be accompanied by written permission from the subject for publication of the picture in this contest, and where the additional permission in writing is also forwarded for the publication of the name and home town of the subject, these should be plainly written on the back of each photograph, and in all cases the full name and address of the contestant should be given.

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MRS. FRANK A. BELL AND HER SONS.  
 Three Dollars Awarded to Mrs. Frank A. Bell, Atlantic Highlands, N. J.



MRS. RALPH EVANS AND RALPH JUNIOR.  
 Three Dollars Awarded to Lulu Nethaway, Wahoo, Neb.



MRS. FRANK T. FRIES AND DOLORES.  
 Three Dollars Awarded to Frank T. Fries, Orrville, Ohio.





**FROM ONE PERFECT CHILD TO ANOTHER:**

**WONG LUM,**  
Known as "China's Prize Boy Child," Presents a Loving Cup to Mildred Marcia Pinkenfeld, "America's Perfect Baby," on Behalf of the Chew Hing Troupe, Now Appearing on the American Stage. Ann Garrison Is Holding Mildred. (Times Wide World Photos.)



**A POWWOW IN WASHINGTON:**  
**VICE PRESIDENT CHARLES G. DAWES**

and Chief White Horse Eagle of the Osage Tribe, Who, It Is Said, Is 106 Years Old, Meet in the National Capital.

(Times Wide World Photos.)



**NIMBLE FEET:**  
**ELEANOR AMBROSE**  
**MAURICE AND CHARLES SABIN,**  
Her New Dancing Partner, Who Will Shortly Sail for Europe to Dance in London, Paris and Berlin. The Feminine Member of the Team Is, of Course, the Widow of the Late Maurice, World-Famous Dancer. (Edward Thayer Monroe.)



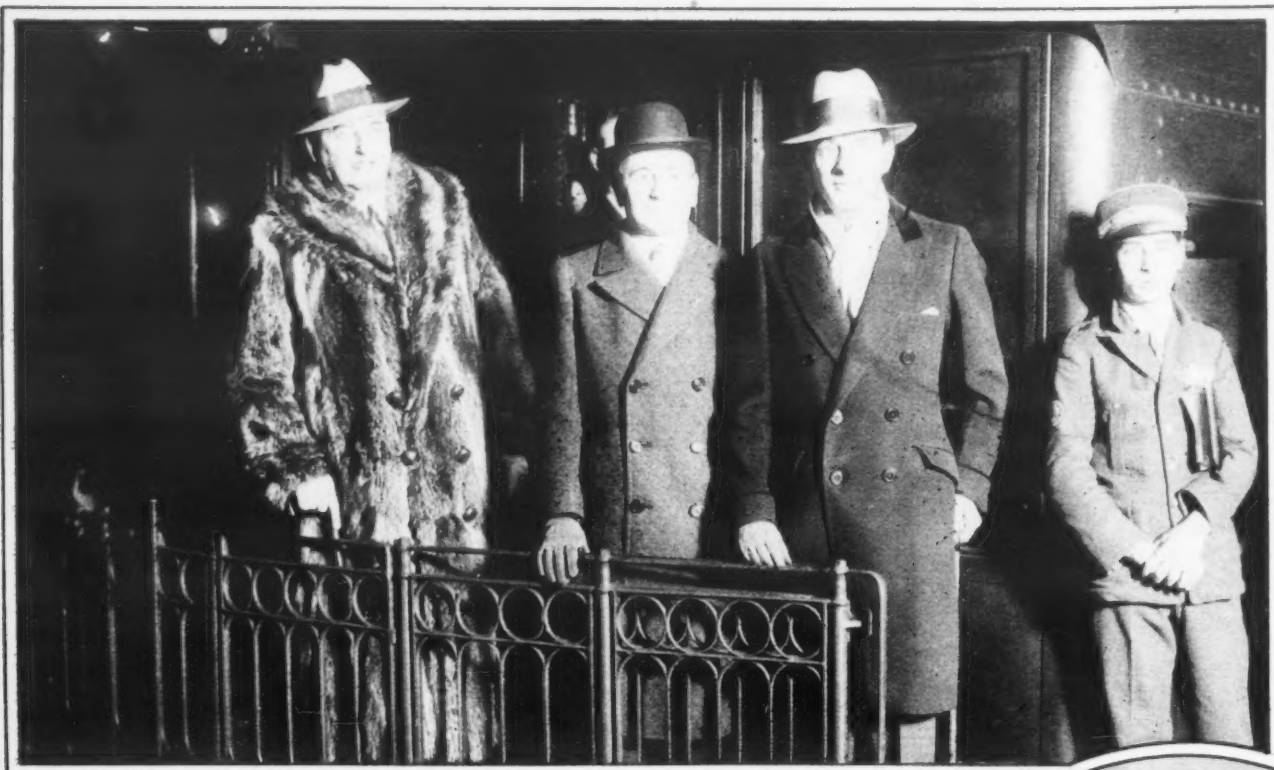
**A CALLER ON THE PRESIDENT:**  
**GEORGE K. MORRIS,**

Chairman of the New York Republican State Committee, Visits Mr. Coolidge at the White House.



**"ROXY" AND ONE OF HIS DISCOVERIES: JILSON SETTERS,**  
**BALLAD SINGER AND FIDDLER**  
From the Mountains of Kentucky (Seated), Has Been Brought to the Roxy Theatre, New York, by S. L. Rothafel (Left) to Entertain the Patrons of the Huge Theatre With Old Songs and Tunes. (Times Wide World Photos.)





**MAYOR WALKER RETURNS TO HIS OWN BAILIWICK: HAVING MADE A TRIUMPHAL PROGRESS THROUGH THE SOUTH,** He Finds Himself Once More at the Pennsylvania Station, Amid the Familiar Sights and Sounds of New York. With Him on the Train Platform Are Paul Block and Station Master William Eagan. (Times Wide World Photos.)



**A GOOD-WILL AM-BASSADOR FROM NEW YORK TO DIXIE: MAYOR JAMES J. WALKER** With the Stars and Stripes and the Stars and Bars at Stone Mountain, Near Atlanta. He Stopped Off at the Georgia City While on His Way Back to New York From New Orleans.

**AT THE ST. MORITZ OLYMPIC GAMES: THREE SKATING TEAMS** Which Won Fourth Place. Left to Right: Mrs. L. and Miss Vinson.



**WHEN POLITICS PAUSES FOR ART: SENATOR OF IDAHO** Poses for a Bust of Himself by Louis Sculptor, in the Senator's Office. (Times Wide World Photos.)



**HER PRIZE: DOLORES DEL RIO,** Screen Star, and the Wampas Achievement Trophy Which She Won in a Contest in Which 200,000 Movie Fans Voted. The Prize Was Offered for the Star Who Had Recently Made the Greatest Strides in Filmdom. (Woodbury, Los Angeles.)



**"TAY PAY" VISITS US ONCE MORE: "THE FATHER OF THE HOUSE OF COMMONS,"** the Right Hon. T. P. O'Connor, Politician, Editor, Publisher, and Now a Sort of British Edition of Will Hays in the Realm of Movies, Arrives on the Berengaria.



**DOING THEIR BIT IN THE CAUSE OF PROGRESS: THREE BEAUTIES** From the Cast of "Sunny Days" Help Dedicate the Giant Sperry Searchlight on Top of the Hotel St. George, Brooklyn, Whose Light Is Visible Every Night to Aviators for 200 Miles. The Young Ladies (Left to Right) Are: Esther Lloyd, Ada Winston and Sophia Grebow. (Times Wide World Photos.)

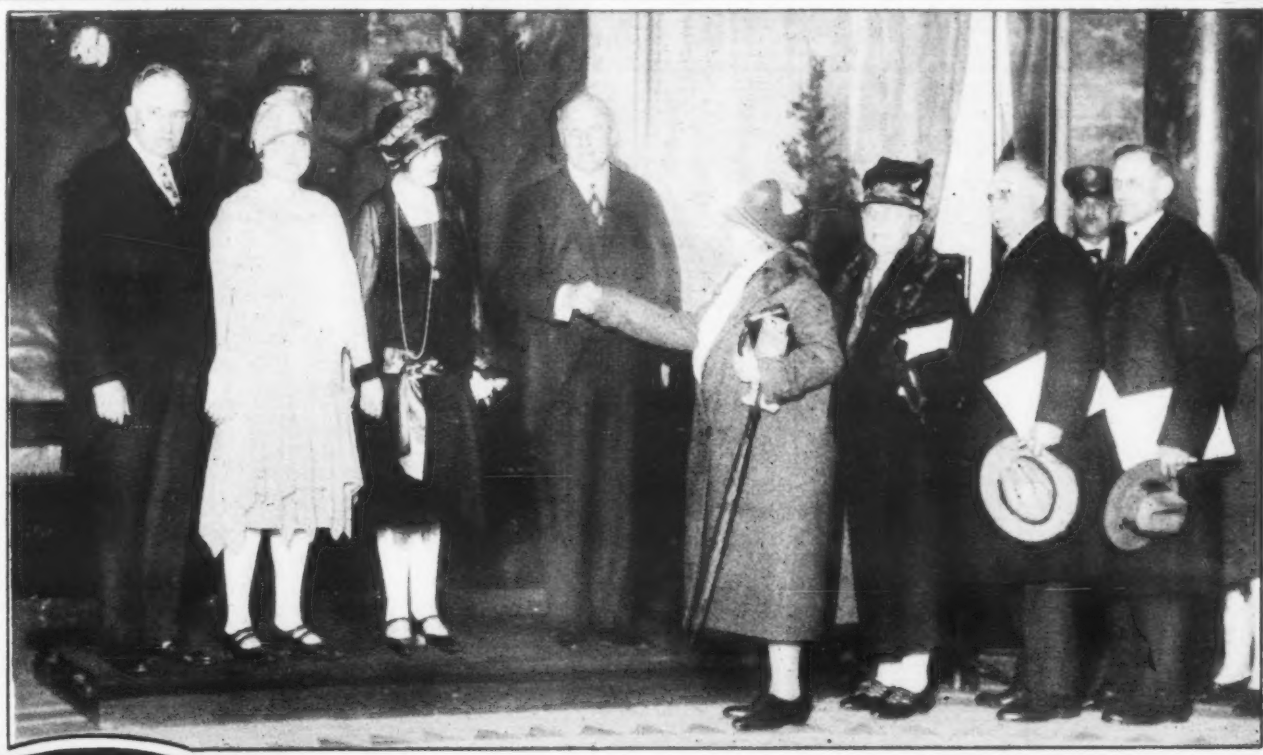


**WINTER MERRIMENT: WE** at the College's Annual Winter Carnival. Left to Right: Misses Helen Newfield and Frances





AMES: THREE MEMBERS OF THE AMERICAN SKATING TEAM  
Right: Mrs. L. Blanchard, Miss Beatrice Loughran  
(Times Wide World Photos.)



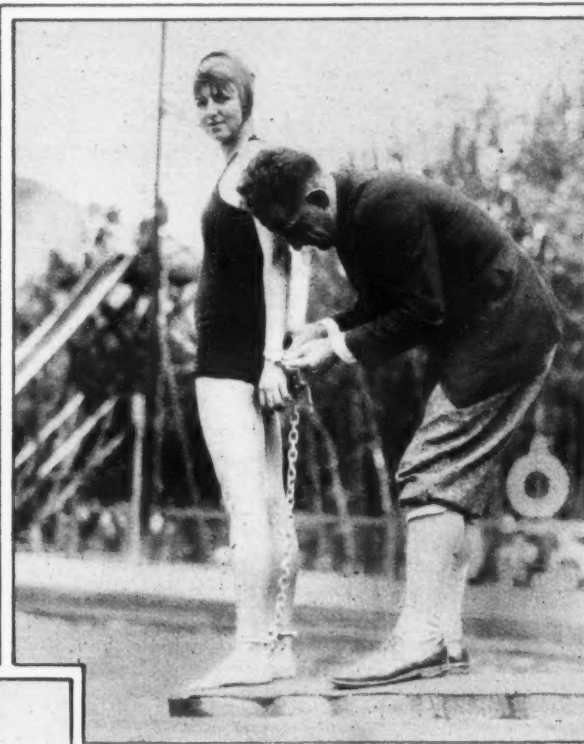
"LINDY'S" MOTHER IN BOSTON: THE RECEPTION LINE at the Convention of the National Education Association, to Which Mrs. Lindbergh Flew From Detroit. Left to Right: J. M. Gwinn, President of the Superintendents' Department of the N. E. A.; Miss Cornelia Adair, President N. E. A.; Mrs. Evangeline Lodge Lindbergh and Governor Alvin T. Fuller of Massachusetts.



OR ART: SENATOR WILLIAM E. BORAH himself by Louis Di Valentin, 20-Year-Old Venetian Senator's Office in Washington.  
(Wide World Photos.)



ONE OF ENGLAND'S FAIREST: LADY DIANA DUFF-COOPER, the Former Lady Diana Manners, Featured for Several Seasons in "The Miracle," Returns to New York on the Berengaria.  
(Times Wide World Photos.)



CHAINED AND HANDCUFFED, BUT SHE SWIMS: ANGELA KLEMMER of the Red, White and Blue Troupe, Said to Be the World's Fastest Swimmer When Manacled, Is Fitted With the "Darbies" by Her Coach, H. J. Grieser, Before Taking a Header Into the Balboa Pool, Canal Zone. Miss Klemmer, Under These Handicaps, Goes Faster Than the Ordinary Free Swimmer, Using the Same Principles of Movement as a Fish Does.



IMENT: WELLESLEY GIRLS  
ses Helen Newell, Ivy Newman, Shirley Smith, Margaret Roos, Louise Rosen-  
and Frances Bean.  
(Times Wide World Photos.)



ANOTHER "FLYING FLAPPER": THE FIRST GIRL TO FLY ACROSS THE CONTINENT, Miss Margaret Bartlett, Leaves the Boeing Mail Plane at San Francisco, Shaking Hands With Pilot Clair Vance at Parting. Miss Bartlett, Who Is the Daughter of Judge George A. Bartlett of Reno, Nev., Is a Co-Ed at Columbia University, New York.  
(Times Wide World Photos.)



A DAREDEVIL FLIER: CAPTAIN ALFORD W. WILLIAMS, U. S. N., Who, at Anacostia, Flying a Curtiss Hawk Plane at an Altitude of 3,000 Feet, Completed the "Outside Loop," Followed by an Upside-Down Figure Eight. He Is Said to Be the Second Aviator to Accomplish This Feat.



# Newest Styles In the American Manner



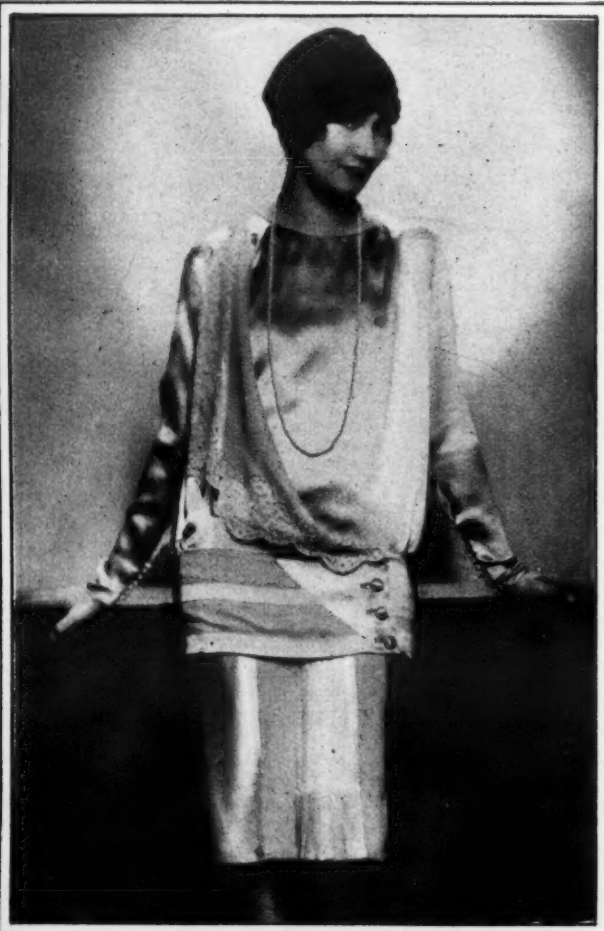
THIS SUIT WITH COAT IN THE NEW LENGTH  
Is Worn Over a Skirt and Blouse Costume. The Blouse Is Embroidered in Black and Silver.



NEW LOUNGING PAJAMAS: THE SHORT JACKET AND FULL-LENGTH COAT Are Made of Printed Satin Trimmed With Gold-Colored Satin. Trousers Are of Black Satin With Cuffs of the Other Materials.  
(Photos Don Diego; Courtesy Schwartzbach, Huber & Co.)



A CHARMING DRESS OF FINE CREPE  
Trimmed With Bandings of Grosgrain Ribbon and a Bit of Lace at the Neck.



SATIN AND CREPE ARE COMBINED  
in This Smart Model With Deep Banding About the Hips and Rever Edged With Lace.



AN APPEALING DAYTIME DRESS  
With New Yoke Treatment. The Collar Is Finished With String Tie and Double Jabot. The Belt Is Crossed in Front and Held in Place by Crystal Buttons.

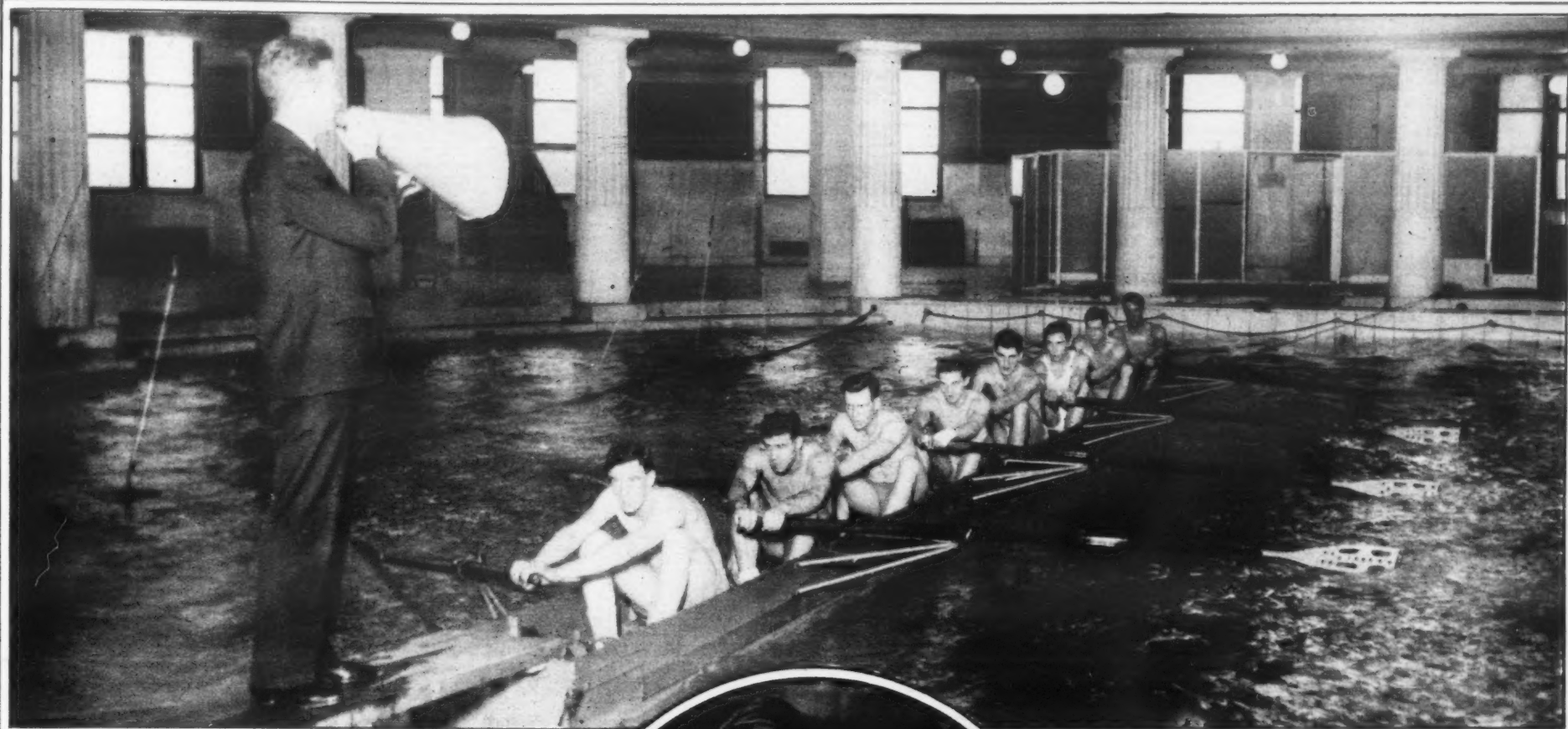


FOR MORNING WEAR: A CHARMING PRINTED FROCK  
Made in a Two-Piece Model, With Box Pleats in the Skirt.

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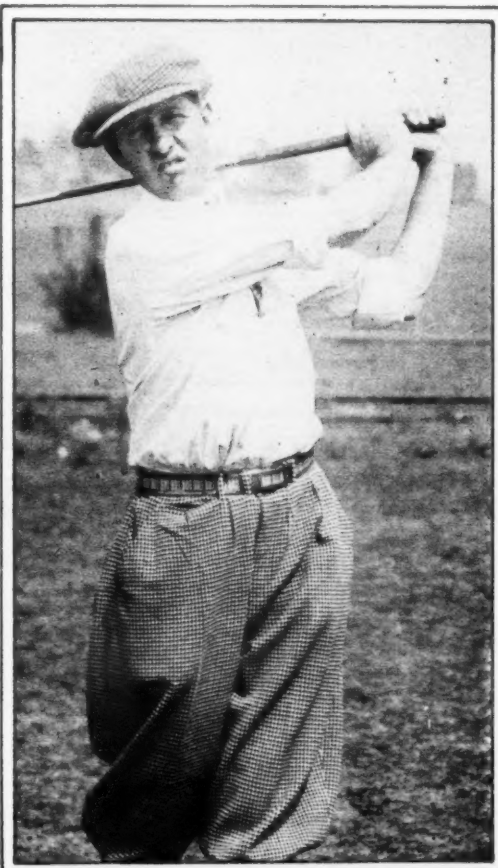


# DOUGHTY DOINGS IN AMATEUR AND PROFESSIONAL SPORT



**TRAINING HARD: COLUMBIA CREW**  
at Practice in a Specially Built Shell in the swimming Pool. In the Shell, Left to Right, Are: Walker Murphy, Blesse, Piercy, Lightbowne, Kerrigan, Dav-enport and MacBain (Captain and Stroke).  
(Times Wide World Photos.)

## THE WEEK'S SPORTING CELEBRITY



**MACDONALD SMITH.**  
(Times Wide World Photos.)

**O**N New Year's Day the Palos Verdes open title was captured by Macdonald Smith of Great Neck, L. I. A week later he annexed the Los Angeles open. And on Feb. 12 at Hot Springs, Ark., he scored his third triumph during the Winter tour of professional golfers when he won the first prize of \$1,000 in the South Central open championship with a total score of 283 for 72 holes.

Besides his three victories Mr. Smith was second at El Paso and fourth in the Texas open tournament held at San Antonio.

During six weeks it is said that his prizes have exceeded \$6,000.

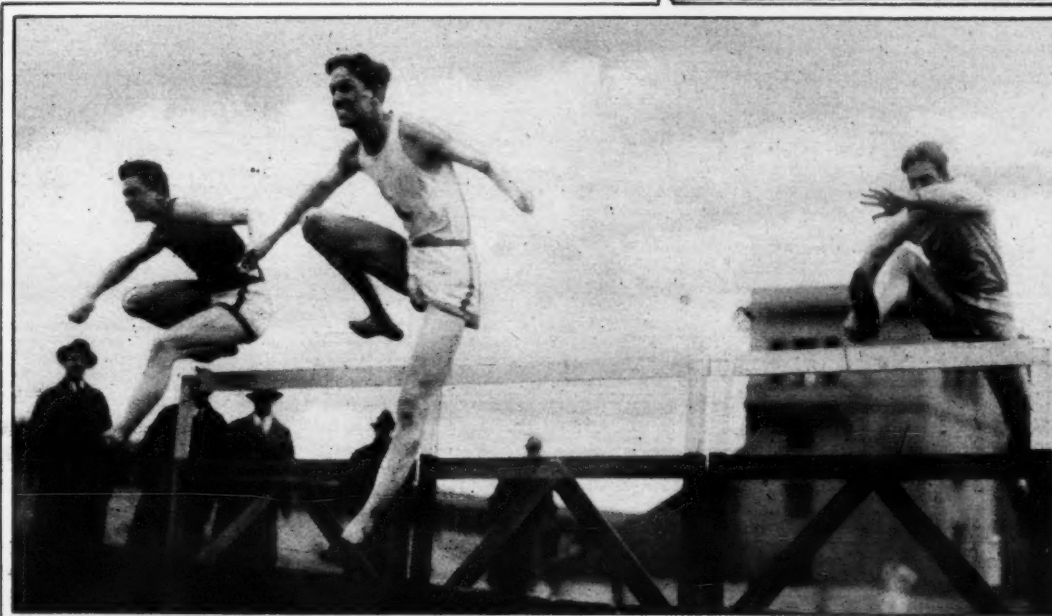
At the start of the last nine holes at Hot Springs Smith was one stroke behind Frank Walsh. He caught up with a birdie 4 on a 515-yard hole and at the finish he was two strokes ahead of Walsh and Al Espinosa.



**ROLAND LOCKE, NEBRASKA LAWYER AND ATHLETE,**  
Holder of the 220-Yard Record of 20.5 Seconds, Training at the Fordham University Indoor Track for the New York A. C. Meet.  
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**AMATEUR AND PROFESSIONAL:**  
**GUY ARCHAMBAULT**  
(Left) of the New York A. C. Hockey Team, Chats With Lorne Chabot of the Rangers in Madison Square Garden, New York.  
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**OVER THEY GO: HARVARD ATHLETES**  
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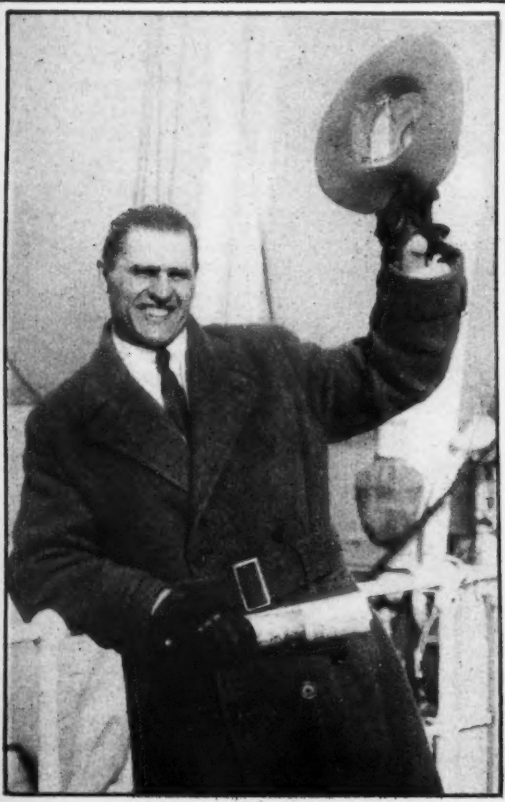




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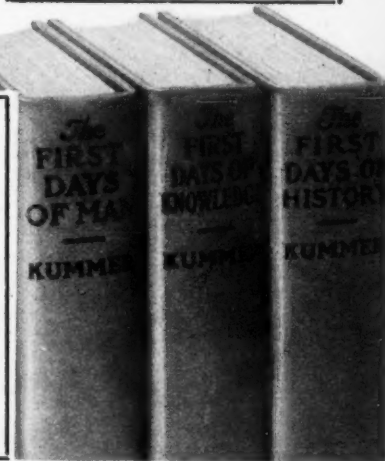
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**RISING RAPIDLY IN THE WORLD: NELS NELSON**  
Making One of His Spectacular Ski-Jumps on the Mountain Slope at Revelstoke, B. C.



**ROYALTY ABDICATES: MISS EMILIE MASON**, the Retiring Queen of the Banff Winter Carnival, Is Seated on Her Throne After Having Received the Homage of Mayor Osborne of Calgary. (Photos Courtesy Canadian Pacific Railways.)



**"MUSHING" FOR THE STRONGHEART TROPHY: START** of the Banff Winter Carnival Dog Derby Over a Tricky and Grueling Course of Ninety Miles. The Ice Palace Is at the Left.

**B**ANFF'S Winter Carnival, in February was one of the most beautiful to be seen anywhere. It opened with a parade of snowshoers and skiers with gayly decorated snowshoe costumes of variegated colors, in which was a float on which the Queen rode. This year the Queen was Miss Emilie Mason, and for her to qualify as Queen she had to do all outdoor things, from packing a horse to shooting the ski hill, and, of course, dance, and generally keep things going.

The ceremony of crowning the Queen usually takes place at the conclusion of the first midnight frolic and dance. This year the Queen of Banff had a court of ladies-in-waiting and courtiers; the pageant was a spectacular one, staged in the scintillating Ice Palace.

Every year there is a unique feature to the Banff Winter Carnival. Indians from the Stony, Cree, Blood and Blackfoot reservations dance the old Indian dances, such as the Buffalo Dance and

the Chicken Dance, to the accompaniment of Indian music.

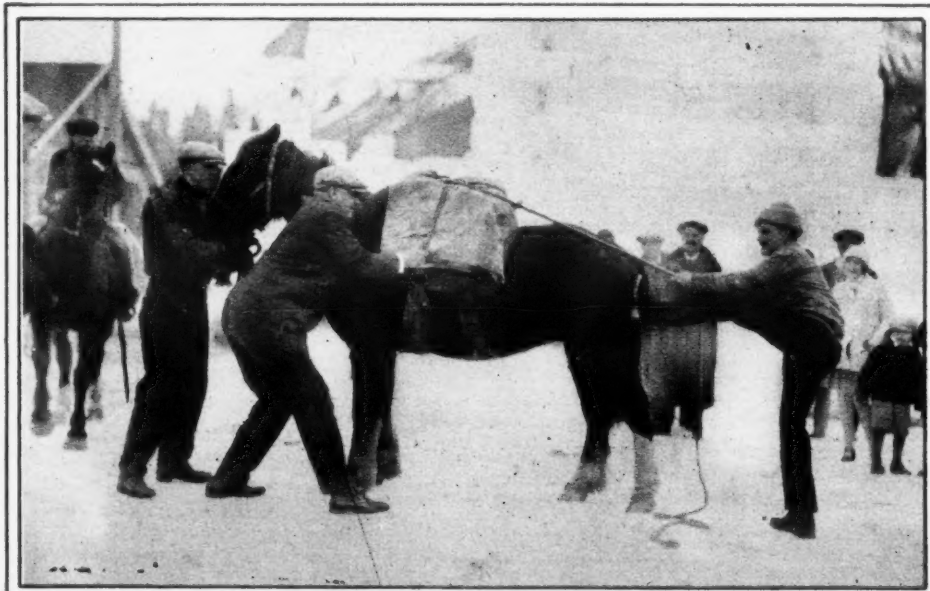
Switzerland has no grander winter scenery than Banff, so well known to Summer tourists.

Among the features of the Winter Carnival was a dog-sled derby for the Strongheart Trophy, a distance of ninety miles, from Calgary to Banff, through some of the most picturesque and hazardous Winter country to be found anywhere.

Ski-ing, fancy ice-skating and curling, as well as snowshoe races, and, at night, fancy dress balls, made this year's carnival one not to be easily forgotten. Visitors from New York, Boston, Philadelphia and other cities of the United States attended and signified their approval and satisfaction in journeying to the "Switzerland of America." Banff is becoming more popular every year as the leading Winter sports centre of America, especially for those who prefer the more rugged environment of the peaks of the Canadian Rockies.



**WHERE THE QUEEN OF THE SNOWS PRESIDED: ICE PALACE** Built Especially for the Banff Winter Carnival That Attracted Multitudes of Spectators From all Parts of the Dominion and the United States.



**AS IT SHOULD BE DONE: THE DIAMOND HITCH** Being Demonstrated by Jack Ryder of Cincinnati, at Left, With the Assistance of D. Thompson of Washington, D. C.





**THE CUBS OF 1928: THE CHICAGO NATIONAL LEAGUE BASEBALL CLUB**

Before the First Workout on Their Spring Training Grounds at Catalina Island, Cal. Left to Right, Kneeling: Grimm, Heathcote, Neff, Carlson, Root, Two Bat Boys, Grampp, Gilpin, Jones and Guy Bush. Standing: Hansen, Beck, Granville Bush, Blake, Osborn, Welch, Gonzales, Malone, Butler, Hartnett, Weinert, Coach Doolan, Manager McCarthy and Coach Burke. (Times Wide World Photos.)



**PUPIL AND TEACHER: LAWRENCE TIBBETT, METROPOLITAN OPERA BARTONE,**

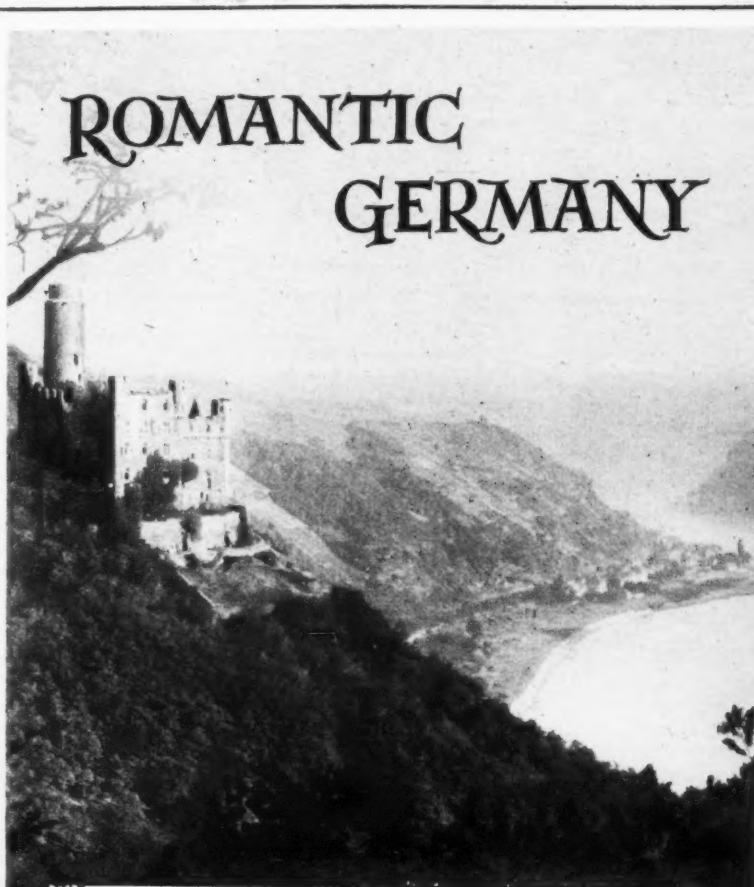
Pays a Visit to Maude T. Howell, Who Is Now Stage Manager at the Broadhurst Theatre, New York, for George Arliss in "The Merchant of Venice." Mr. Tibbett Had His First Lessons as an Actor From Miss Howell When She Was Conducting the Drama Department of the Los Angeles Manual Arts High School.

← (Florence Vandamm.)



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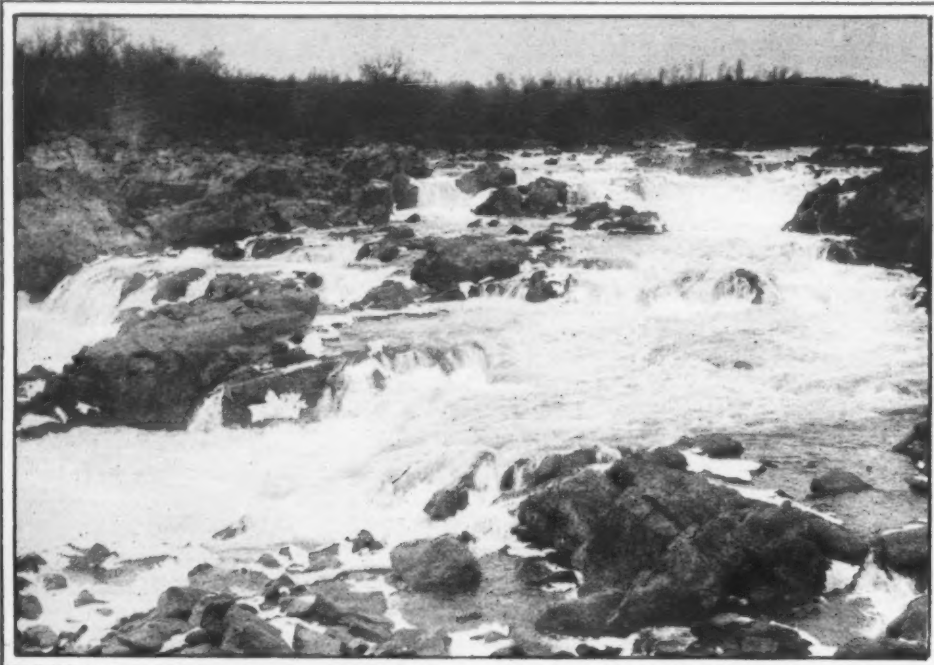


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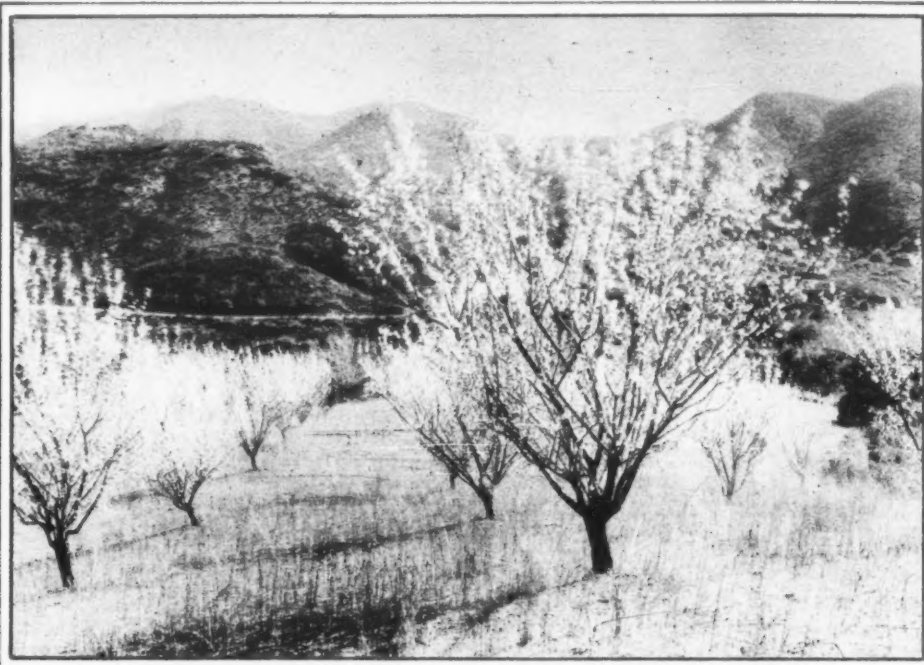
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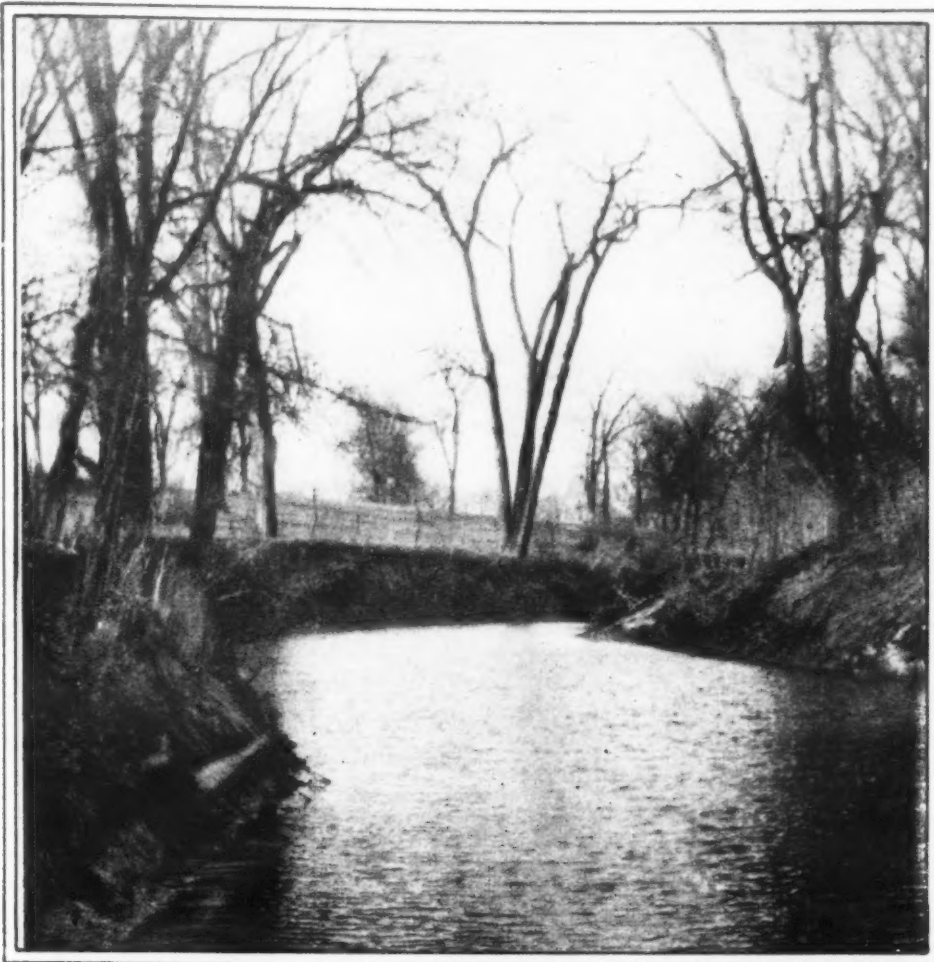


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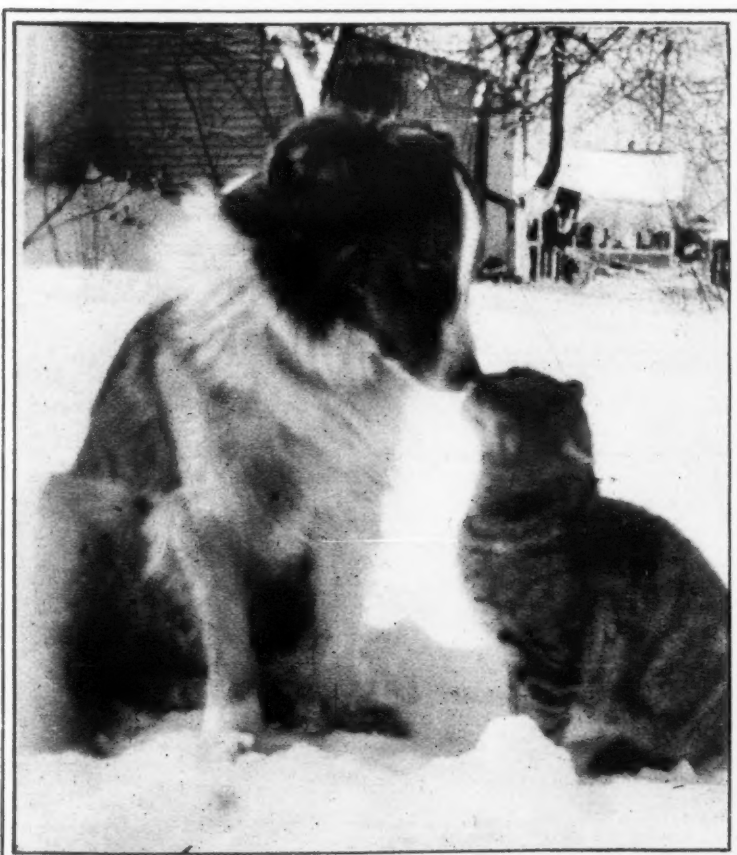


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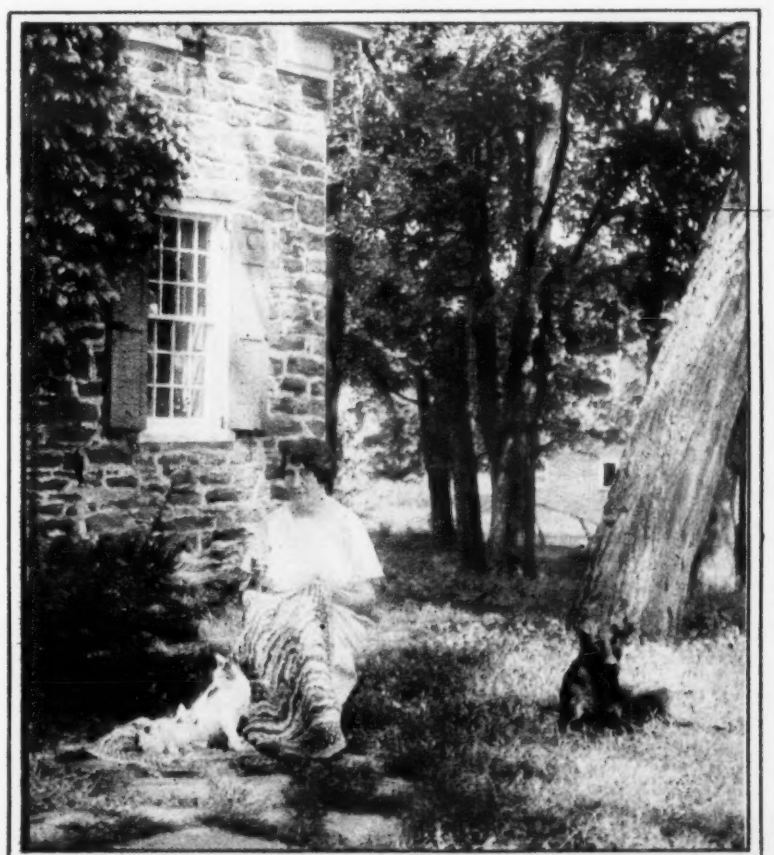
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# Stars That Shine in Broadway Playhouses



KITTY O'CONNOR, THE GIRL  
BARITONE,  
and Her Chorus of Six-Foot  
Cowboys in "Take the  
Air," at the Waldorf  
Theatre.  
(White Studio.)



HAL  
SKELLY AND  
BARBARA  
STANWYCK,  
in "Burlesque,"  
at the Plymouth  
Theatre.  
(New York  
Times Studios.)



DON  
COOK AND  
MADGE  
KENNEDY,  
in "Paris  
Bound," at the  
Music Box  
Theatre.  
(White.)



MARILYN MILLER.  
(New York Times Studios.)

MARILYN MILLER was certainly made for musical comedy, and it does seem at times as though musical comedy was made for Marilyn Miller. Ever since childhood Miss Miller has been dancing. As a member of a troupe comprising her father, her mother, her sister and herself, the earliest years of her life were spent on tour in this country and abroad. Broadway first came to know her when she was première danseuse at the Winter Garden, from which she passed to the Ziegfeld Follies. In the Winter of 1920 she achieved stardom in the phenomenally successful "Sally," which still lives as a delightful memory in the minds of all who saw it.

Some time later Miss Miller sprang a surprise upon everybody. Under the management of Charles Dillingham she appeared in a revival of "Peter Pan." It took courage to essay a rôle which had become identified in this country with Maude Adams, but it was generally agreed that she made a charming "boy who never grew up." And then, returning to musical comedy, she was starred in "Sunny," whose triumph is recent theatrical history.

This season, returning to the Ziegfeld management, she is the bright particular luminary of "Rosalie," at the New Amsterdam Theatre.



MARJORIE  
GATESON,  
in "The Great  
Necker."  
(New York  
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A POPULAR  
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ENNE:  
PERT  
KELTON,  
Featured in  
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o'Clock Girl,"  
at the Forty-  
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Theatre.  
(New York  
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MINNA  
GOMBELL,  
in "Jimmie's  
Women," at  
the Frolic  
Theatre.  
(Apeda.)



THE OLD  
MASTER:  
SIR HARRY  
LAUDER,  
Appearing at  
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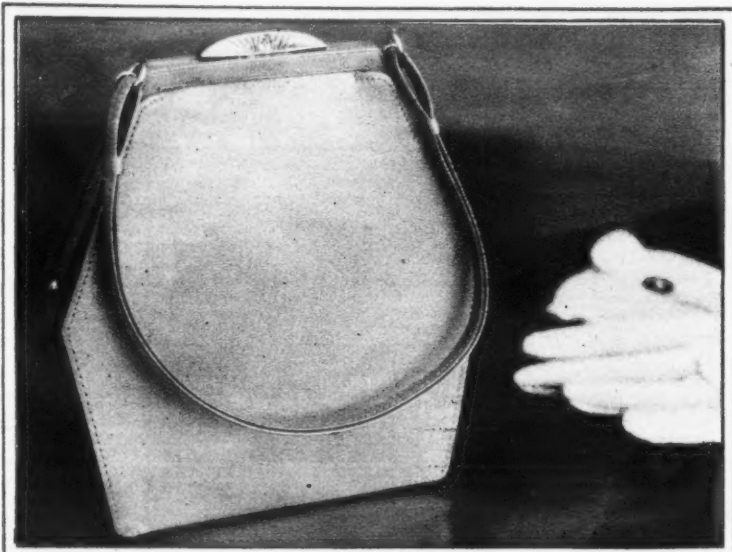
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SPORTS, TOWN AND FORMAL TYPES of Smart Parisian Bags, From Hellstern. (Photos Bonney, from Times Wide World.)

16, Rue de la Paix, Paris, March 2, 1928.

THERE are many harbingers of Spring in Paris. The trend of fashion is one, and even before the great couturiers have shown to the waiting world the sartorial secrets of the new season, the accessory makers have decided their own particular styles.

The tiny shops, such as Perugia, Greco, Alexandrine and Hellstern, are as much the leaders of a certain phase of fashion as those who consider only the problem of wraps, frocks and hats. Where would the smart person be without her shoes and bags and gloves? Paul Poiret, who

always is in the vanguard of new fashion ideas, was one of the first to stress the importance of the bottier as a collaborator of the couturier. In fact it was Poiret himself who only a few years ago brought a then unknown bottier from Nice, and made him an indispensable figure in smart Paris.

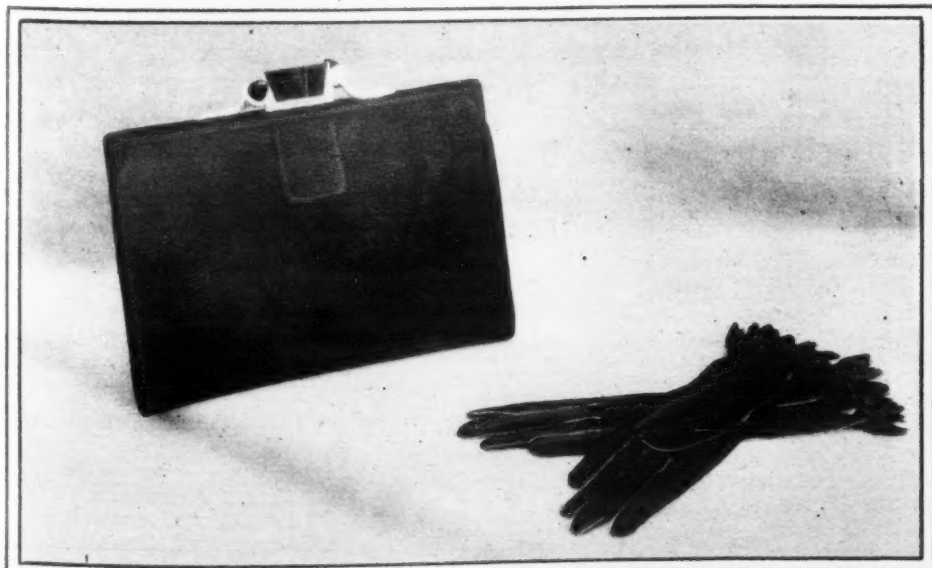
Alexandrine is a glove specialist; but, just as has been the case with all accessory creators, the ensemble idea has seized her, and she now offers gloves, bag and sometimes scarf to match. Among her noteworthy colors for Spring are faun and black. Smart black daim gloves with

little frilled cuffs are accompanied by a purse featuring a striking clasp of onyx and cut steel. Onyx is stressed at present in all the new buckles, pins and clasps which the fashion creators are emphasizing for the new collections.

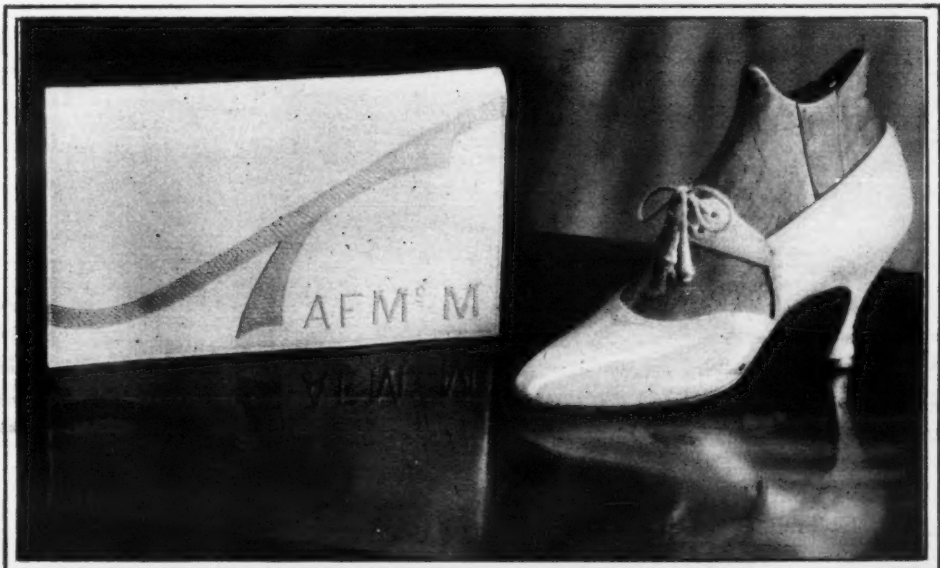
Hellstern "boots" many a notable of Paris and foreign lands. He, too, feels the necessity of matching his shoes with bags of his own making. Whether for morning, afternoon, sports or evening occasion, there is a Hellstern bag for every Hellstern shoe. A sports bag is in marron Russia calf, with zipper opening; the purse within is attached with a long gold chain,

so that, no matter how absent-minded the owner, it cannot be lost. For evening, a black toile slipper is embroidered in rose and lavender floral motifs, with insets of cerise kid; the bag is of the same pattern. Buckle and clasp are of rubies and strass. For Biarritz next season we may expect the monogrammed purse and shoe in praline kid and lizard to be a favorite. Little by little one begins to picture the new color and silhouette which is half the charm of the famous European resorts for Summer.

The spirit of Paris, "dreaming on things to come," thus expresses itself. M. T. B.



BLACK IS CHIC FOR SPRING, as Exemplified in This Ensemble of Accessories From Alexandrine in Black Daim, With Purse Clasp in Cut Steel and Onyx.



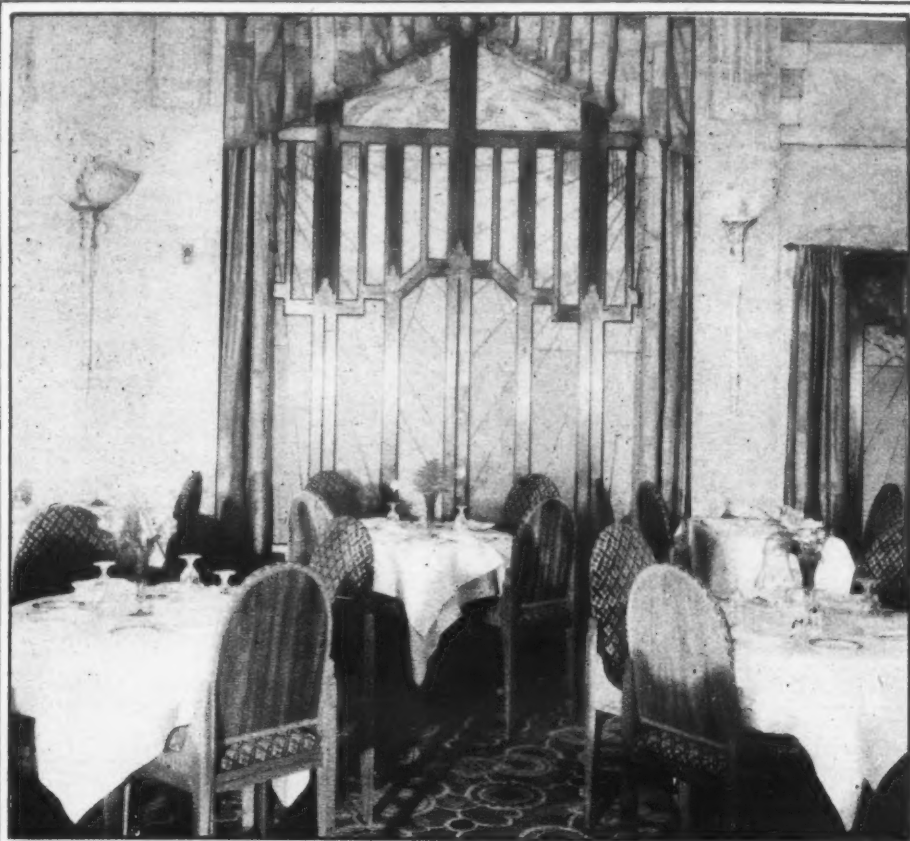
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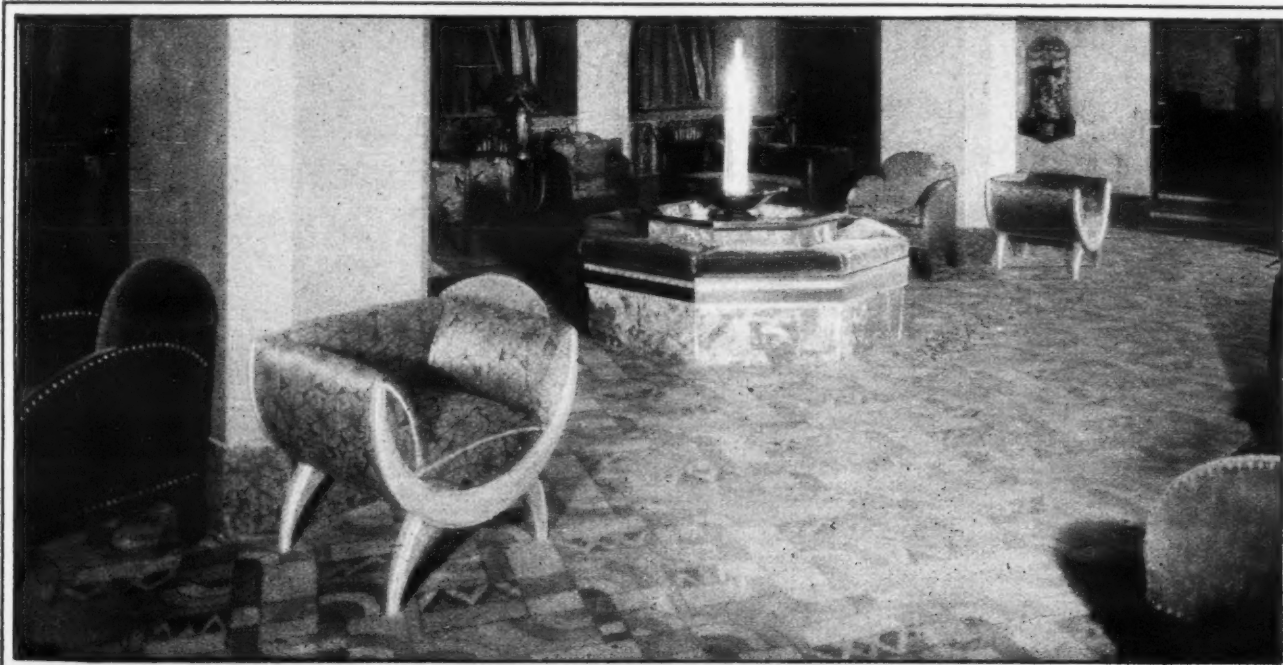
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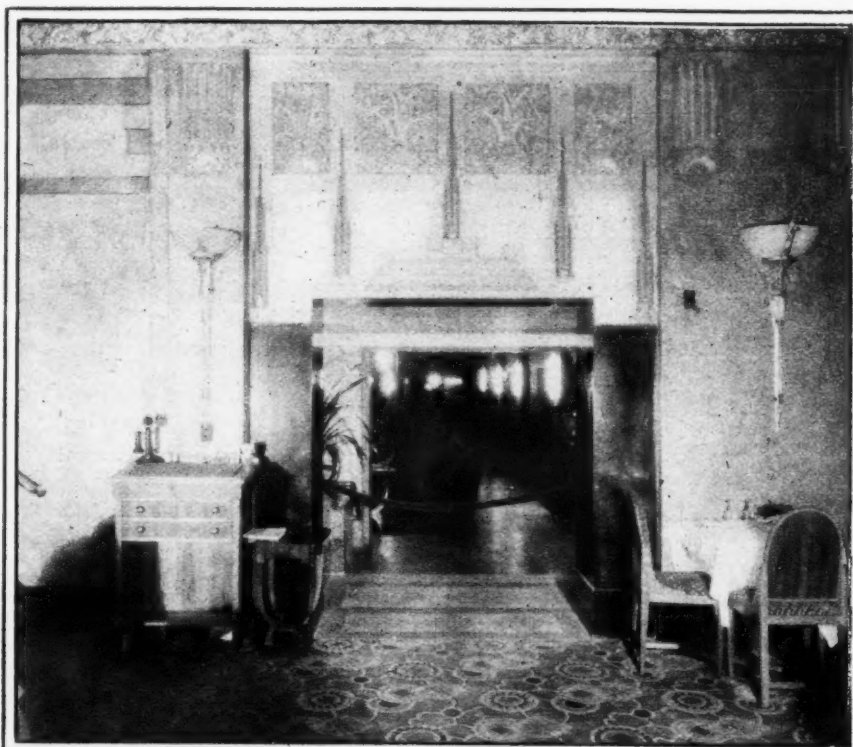
IN THE MULLIONS  
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Today Are Clustered at  
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Evidently Considers  
Will Be the Towering  
Superstructure of the  
Future.



A  
FOUNTAIN  
SKY-  
SCRAPER  
Stands in the  
Centre of  
One of the  
Lounges of  
the Hotel  
Lincoln.



GEOMETRY GLORIFIED: A WRITING TABLE  
in the Hotel Lincoln, With Its Mathematically Inspired Environment. The  
Architectural Theme of the Entire Hotel Is "New York"; Hence the Geo-  
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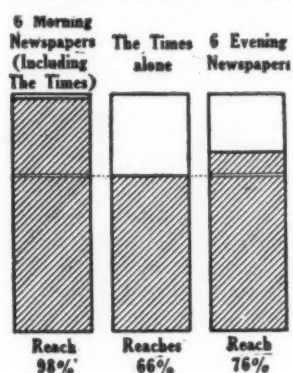
THE SKYSCRAPER AS A SYMBOL OF OUR CIVILIZATION: THE  
NOVEL DESIGNS  
Over the Exit From the Main Dining Room to the Lobby of the New  
Hotel Lincoln, New York, Portray the Modernistic Artist's Vision of the  
Future of the American Metropolis.  
(Photos Albert Rothschild.)



## WOMEN prefer morning NEWSPAPERS

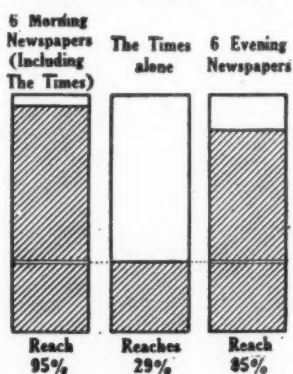
*F*our questions were put to 15,000 women in New York City and suburbs—5,000 in the higher income group and 10,000 in the lower. The very poor and the very wealthy were avoided. The test was made by a leading advertising agency upon its own initiative.

### HIGHER INCOME GROUP



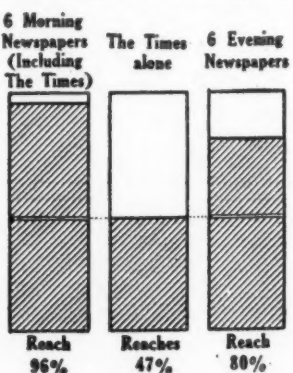
*The replies show—*  
96% read the morning newspapers—  
only 80% the evening.  
66% of women in the higher income group read The New York Times—  
only 76% read six evening newspapers combined.

### LOWER INCOME GROUP



*Women read The Times* an average of 44 minutes daily, a longer reading life than any other newspaper, morning or evening. The Times has the greatest percentage of women readers unduplicated by any other newspaper, morning or evening.

### TWO GROUPS COMBINED



*With a weekday circulation* of over 400,000—more than 332,000 in the territory covered by this survey—The New York Times is shown to be read thoroughly by two-thirds of the women in New York most active in cultural and social life.

*To reach women* representative of the rapidly growing upper middle income group thoroughly, economically, effectively, use the advertising columns of The New York Times.

## The New York Times

Charted data covering the survey will be sent upon request



BACK AT HIS DESK:  
FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT,

Democratic Vice Presidential Nominee in 1920 and High in the Councils of His Party. Resumes His Duties as Vice President of the Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, in New York, After a Fight of Seven Years Against an Attack of Infantile Paralysis Which at One Time Caused His Recovery to Be Despaired Of.



A PRESIDENTIAL POSSIBILITY:  
SECRETARY OF COMMERCE HERBERT C. HOOVER Leaving the Capitol After Appearing Before the Senate Committee in Connection With Flood Relief in the Mississippi Valley.  
(Times Wide World Photos.)



A SIMULTANEOUS LEAP:  
FIVE RUNNERS CLEAR THE BARS in the 120-Yard Hurdles at the Annual A. A. U. Relays Held in the Los Angeles Coliseum.  
(Times Wide World Photos.)



## MAN OF THE WEEK



LESTER J. HENDERSHOT.  
(Times Wide World Photos.)

A DEVICE that has aroused intense interest in scientific circles and which, if the claims made for it are borne out by more extensive experiments, may revolutionize the automotive industry is the "fuelless" generator invented by Lester J. Hendershot. It was demonstrated recently at Selfridge Field in Detroit before experts, including Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh, and created a profound impression.

Until it can be patented, great secrecy has attended the tests of the generator. It is said, however, that its main feature lies in a hitherto unknown method of winding the armature in such a way that it draws energy directly from electrical currents that exist constantly in the air and the ground. Such a source would, of course, be inexhaustible and enable one to dispense entirely with gasoline or other visible fuel.

The model used in the demonstration was a much smaller machine than an actual working generator capable of developing power enough to lift and propel an airplane. Its inventor claims for it that it runs on an electro-magnetic principle by which it draws its force directly from the earth's field and transforms these electric currents into power that can be delivered efficiently at a propeller shaft.

Major Thomas G. Lanphier, Commandant at Selfridge Field, declared:

"I saw the first model which Hendershot built hooked up to a small electric motor of the type used to operate a sewing machine. It not only ran that motor, but it burned it out."

The first model consisted of a ring magnet less than three inches in diameter. Around the magnet were coils rigged in accordance with Hendershot's secret, while another set of coils passed through the centre of the ring.

The larger model, which has not yet been hooked to a motor that will deliver power to a crankshaft, Major Lanphier himself helped build.

"We put it together out of stuff we picked up at the field, and with it we lighted two 110-watt lamps," the Major said. "I think we have got enough electricity in that second model to kill a man."

Much skepticism has been expressed by scientists regarding the new invention and the general attitude is one of watchful waiting.

## WITH THE NEW BOOKS



ARTHUR TRAIN.  
(© Pirie MacDonald.)  
AMBITION. By Arthur Train.  
New York: Charles Scribner's Sons. \$2.50.

A SEAMY side of the legal profession is emphasized in the latest offering of Arthur Train, "Ambition." Simon Kent graduates from the Harvard Law School with an exalted ideal of the majesty of the law and a determination to translate that ideal into his own practice. He becomes connected with the prominent law firm of Robinson, Myer & Burr. He has marked ability and rapidly advances in the good graces of his employers.

It is not long, however, before he finds that he is expected to win his cases by the adoption of methods however casuistical, by the aid of witnesses however perjured. The essential thing is that he win, even if in the process the law is thwarted and debased. Nothing is taboo as long as it brings money into the bank account of the firm and manages to keep its raw and shady aspects unrevealed, even if suspected. Justice is merely a shibboleth; Mammon is a god.

His marital problems also are serious ones. He has married a shallow, beautiful girl who is anxious to shine in society. Before the marriage Claire had become an unwed mother. She wonders whether she should tell Simon before she marries him. He has always maintained theoretically the rights of women to live as freely as men, but she fears his reaction to her revelation. She consults a lawyer as to whether Simon could later obtain a divorce if she should withhold the fact. The lawyer advises her to tell and she does, with a great show of honesty and candor. Simon is shocked, but stands by his avowed principles and marries her.

Her social ambitions and her personal charms, her bridge and cocktail parties bring considerable business to Simon and his firm. But social dissipation is almost as irksome and repellant to Simon as the unethical methods of his law associates. He and Claire become estranged and the final break comes when he learns that cold expediency rather than honesty had prompted her pre-marital confession. They agree to a divorce. Simon cuts loose from the firm, forms new and better law associations and with all the past put behind him starts out to live unswervingly up to his ideals.



## A Modern Micawber

But why wait? Opportunities seldom, if ever, merely "turn up." But many a man is making his own opportunities by a careful reading, weekdays and Sundays, of the columns of

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**GERMANY'S FLASH IN TRAINING: DR. OTTO PELTZER**  
(Centre, in Dark Clothes), Crack Runner From Overseas, Works Out With the Georgetown University Sprinters in Preparation for the K. of C. Meet in New York.  
(Times Wide World Photos.)



**A DISTINGUISHED NOVELIST RETURNS: THEODORE DREISER**, Author of "An American Tragedy" and Other Works, on the Deck of the Steamship Hamburg, Which Brought Him Back From a European Sojourn.  
(Times Wide World Photos.)



**ATTRACTIVE PIRATES: MRS. WILLIAM I. SHAW AND MRS. THOMAS B. KENNEDY**, Sisters, and Residents, Respectively, of Los Angeles and Chambersburg, Pa., at the Bal Masque Held Recently in Philadelphia.  
(Times Wide World Photos.)



**A CHARMING DANCER: PRISCILLA ROBINEAU**, Who Teaches the Art of Terpsichore in Many Variations in Her New York Studio.  
(Nicholas Haz.)



**QUAINT FIGURES IN CLAY: SOME OF THE WORK OF THE ASH-STEAD POTTERS**, an Organization Which Gives Employment to Disabled Workers in England. The Figures Were Shown at a Testimonial Dinner Given in New York to Sir Lawrence Weaver, President of the Design and Industry Association, London. They Are, Left to Right: Johnny Walker of Bibulous Renown, the Great Dr. Samuel Johnson, Premier Stanley Baldwin and Benjamin Franklin.  
(Times Wide World Photos.)

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# They Thought I Would Be "Scared" Stiff —But I Swept Them Off Their Feet!

**M**Y friends had always called me a shrinking violet—they said I was actually afraid of my own shadow. And so when I volunteered to speak before a mass meeting in behalf of my lifelong friend, Tom Willert, who was running for Mayor, they looked at me in amazement. In fact, some of them actually tried to persuade me to give up the idea, hinting that I would do Tom more harm than good.

The night of the meeting four or five of my most intimate friends collected on the platform. They frankly told me that they had come to see the slaughter—to watch me make a fool of myself. As I walked toward the speaker's table I could hear them whispering and laughing among themselves at my coming downfall. One of them had even bet five dollars that I wouldn't last three minutes.

And then came my little surprise. For I succeeded to sweep that great audience off its feet—I actually made them stand up and cheer me! Once when I was stopped by applause I glanced behind me and got a glimpse of my friends sitting open mouthed with amazement.

After it was all over they crowded around me and demanded to know how on earth I had been able to conquer my terrible timidity—my awful clamishness—so miraculously.

Smilingly, I told them how I had suddenly discovered a new easy method which made me a forceful speaker. I gave them a brief

description of the way in which I had learned to dominate one man or an audience of thousands—how to say just the right words at the right time, how to win and hold the attention of those around me, how to express my thoughts simply and clearly, yet in a pleasing, interesting and amusing way. And they were actually dumbfounded when I told them that I had accomplished all this

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